

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

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7-18-03
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DECLASSIFY ON: 25X 66
#976209

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 8/17/65

FROM : SAC, WFO (105-NEW) (P)

SUBJECT: EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING
IS - CUBA
(OO:SF)

CC TO: [redacted]
REQ. REC'D. [redacted]
MAR 4 1966
ANS. BY: [redacted]

Enclosed for the Bureau are 9 copies and for San Francisco 2 copies of an LHM dated and captioned as above.

Source is [redacted] (S)

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WFO files contain no references identifiable to the subject.

LEADS:

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SAN FRANCISCO

AT ATHERTON, CALIFORNIA Will handle in accordance with SAC let 61-42.

WASHINGTON FIELD

AT WASHINGTON, D. C. Will review subjects passport file at Passport Office, USDS, and will also determine if subject has appropriate permit to travel to Cuba.

ENCLOSURE

Copy to: CIA STATE

OR: OSI/ACSI

By routing slip to [redacted]

Date 8-1-65

by [redacted]

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- 2 - Bureau (Enc. 9)
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Type of Search Requested:

☐ Restricted to Locality of _____☐ Exact Name Only (On the Nose)☐ Buildup ☐ VariationsSubject Edward M. Keating

Birthdate & Place _____

Address _____

Localities Calif.R# _____ Date 12/15

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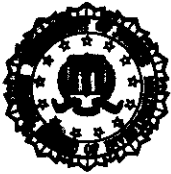
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Washington, D. C. 20535
August 17, 1965

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EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING
INTERNAL SECURITY - CUBA



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The informant could learn no further information
concerning the subject's proposed trip.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 8/27/65

FROM : SAC, WFO (105-67451) (RUC)

SUBJECT: EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING
IS - CUBA
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MAR 4 1966
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BY: *[Signature]*

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ReWFOlet and LHM 8/17/65.

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Information attributed to [redacted] as set out in LHM received by SA [redacted]. It was noted during the course of the USDS passport file review that the subject's application for a passport was not contained in the file.

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BY: *alg*

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By routing slip for info.

by *[Signature]*

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Washington, D. C. 20535

August 27, 1965

EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING
INTERNAL SECURITY - CUBA



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The informant had no additional information.

On August 25, 1965, [redacted] United States Department of State, Domestic Operations, Passport Office, Adjudication Branch, made the subject's passport file available for review. It contained the following information:

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In communication dated July 8, 1965, the subject advised the Bureau of Security and Consular Affairs, United

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EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING

States Department of State, that he was enclosing his United States Passport F 386262 and requested validation for travel to Cuba. The subject was described as the editor of "Ramparts" a church related publication with business offices at 1182 Chestnut Street, Menlo Park, California.

In communication dated July 23, 1965, the subject was advised by the United States Department of State that his passport had been validated for one round trip to Cuba.

b7C [redacted] explained this was an "open" validation which would remain effective until used by the subject; or until such time as his passport expires; whichever occurs first. This validation once used requires the subject to obtain separate validation for any subsequent travel to Cuba.

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DATE: 9/27/65

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-18170) (C)

SUBJECT: EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING
IS - CUBA

OO:SF

CC TO: [Signature]
REQ. REC'D [Signature]
MAR 4 1966
ANS. BY: [Signature]

Re WFO letters dated 8/17/65 and 8/27/65, with LHM enclosed.

Bureau attention is directed to Bureau File 44-25706 in the matter captioned "MIBURN." Under the date of 10/30/64, the New York Office submitted a LHM captioned "EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING, 'Ramparts' Magazine" and under the date of 11/17/64, the San Francisco Office submitted LHM captioned "EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING, Editor and Publisher, 'Ramparts' Magazine, Atherton, California." It is noted that these memoranda contain background information regarding KEATING as well as information concerning his involvement in the MIBURN matter.

Enclosed for the Bureau are eight copies of LHM reflecting additional information concerning KEATING which has come to the attention of this office.

Source utilized in enclosed LHM is a confidential Post Office box maintained by the San Francisco Office of the FBI

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☐ Main Special References Only

Type of Search Requested:

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Please search subject for
 references in 44-25706
 Subject Edward Michael Keating
 Birthdate & Place _____
 Address _____

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

San Francisco, California

September 27, 1965

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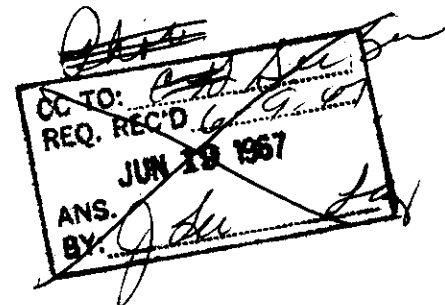
EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING

Reference is made to letterhead memorandum captioned "EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING, 'Ramparts' Magazine", dated October 30, 1964, at New York, New York, and letterhead memorandum captioned "EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING, Editor and Publisher, 'Ramparts' Magazine, Atherton, California" dated November 17, 1964, at San Francisco, California.

The May 20, 1965, edition of the "San Francisco Examiner", a San Francisco daily newspaper, contains an advertisement captioned "Join Us Today and Tomorrow, Viet Nam Day, May 21-22." This advertisement states this would be an educational protest on the Berkeley University of California campus continuing for three hours. The program, printed in the advertisement, lists EDWARD KEATING, Editor, "Ramparts" Magazine, as a speaker on the program between 4:00 and 4:30 p.m. on Friday, May 21, 1965.

On August 2, 1965, a source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, furnished a leaflet announcing activities to be held under the sponsorship of the Haight - Ashbury Committee to End the War in Viet Nam. This leaflet indicates that on August 6, 1965, there will be an open forum on Viet Nam featuring several speakers. Among those listed is EDWARD KEATING, Editor of "Ramparts" Magazine. This forum is to be held at 1350 Waller Street, the All Saints Episcopal Church, San Francisco, California. Source was unable to state whether or not KEATING appeared as a speaker at this meeting.

The Haight-Ashbury Committee to End the War in Viet Nam is a group from the Haight-Ashbury District of San Francisco who oppose the war in Viet Nam.



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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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DATE 7-22-03 BY 60267 JLS/KP/JLA

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

4/6/66

FROM : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-18170) (C)

SUBJECT: EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING
INFORMATION CONCERNING

CC TO: [redacted]
REQ. REC'D 8-29
SEP 19 1967
ANS.
BY: [signature]

Reference is made to San Francisco airtel to Bureau (BUfile 44-25706) with LHM dated 11/17/64 captioned "EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING, Editor and Publisher, 'Ramparts' Magazine, Atherton, California"; WFO letter to Bureau dated 8/17/65 with enclosed LHM captioned "EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING, INTERNAL SECURITY - CUBA"; and San Francisco letter to Bureau dated 9/27/65 with enclosed LHM captioned "EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING."

Enclosed are ten (10) copies of LHM regarding captioned individual.

Sources referred to herein in order

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former PSI (request)

Enclosed LHM is classified ~~confidential~~ because it contains information from a source of continuing value which could reasonably result in his identification and compromise future effectiveness thereof.

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Enclosed LHM is submitted to the Bureau for information purposes and no investigation is contemplated by the San Francisco Office.

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ANS.
BY: [signature]

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
San Francisco, California

April 6, 1966

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EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING

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ON 1-22-03

Reference is made to memorandum dated September 27, 1965, at San Francisco, California.

The "Advance-Star and Green Sheet," a Burlingame, California, publication, issue of December 12, 1965, contains an article captioned "Keating Says He's 'Running.'" This article indicated that Edward M. Keating, 40, of Atherton, California, editor and publisher of "Ramparts" magazine, announced that week that he would be a candidate for the Congressional District seat representing all of San Mateo County in the next year's election.

The Burlingame "Advance-Star and Green Sheet" issue of March 23, 1966, page 2A, reported that Edward M. Keating of Atherton the previous day paid a filing fee of \$300 as a candidate for representative in Congress to San Mateo County Clerk John A. Bruning. This article identified Keating as editor-publisher of "Ramparts" magazine.

"Ramparts" magazine has recently changed location and has moved from Menlo Park, California, to its current address of 301 Broadway, San Francisco, California.

The "San Mateo Times," a San Mateo, California, daily publication, issue of March 30, 1965, contains an article captioned "M.P. Journal Sues Wallace." This article reveals that "Ramparts" magazine of Menlo Park announced that date that they would institute a \$2,500,000 libel action against Governor George C. Wallace of Alabama. The article indicates Wallace termed "Ramparts" a "pro-Communist publication" on a nation-wide television program the previous

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EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING

week. According to the article, "Ramparts" editor-in-chief Edward M. Keating said that New York attorney Louis Nizer would be retained to file the action.

An advertisement appearing in the "San Francisco Examiner," San Francisco daily newspaper, issue of May 20, 1965, placed by the Vietnam Day Committee, Box 2201, Berkeley, California, contained a schedule for the May 21-22, 1965, Vietnam Days to be held as an educational protest at the University of California, Berkeley, California. This program reveals Edward Keating, editor of "Ramparts" magazine, as speaker from 4 to 4:30 p.m. on Friday, May 21, 1965.

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VIETNAM DAY COMMITTEE (VDC)

A booklet published by the VDC contained the following policy statement of the VDC adopted by the general membership, June, 1965:

The Vietnam Day Committee is a group of students, faculty and other members of the Bay area community opposed to American intervention in Vietnam, the Dominican Republic and wherever else it may occur. Revolutionary struggles for self-determination are sweeping the world today. American suppression of these movements, we believe, is immoral and a threat to the peace of the world. The Vietnam Day Committee is organizing non-violent direct actions, teach-ins, door-to-door organizing and other educational activities to oppose American intervention. We believe that the struggle for self-determination in other countries is related to the struggle for democracy in America--a democracy in which the people have the facts and the power to make decisions for themselves. The struggles in America against racism, poverty, and bureaucratic conformity are part of the same movement as the struggle against American militarism. We must build a New America and join with those people in Asia, Africa and Latin America building a New World.

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EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING

On July 31, 1965, a champagne reception given under the auspices of the Concerned Citizens was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Keating, 54 Rosewood Drive, Atherton, California.

Concerned Citizens is a group open to the public which has been formed in San Mateo and Santa Clara Counties, California, which opposes the escalation of U. S. participation in Vietnam.

A second source advised on October 4, 1965, that Edward Keating of "Ramparts" magazine had been invited by the VDC to participate in a teach-in to be held October 15, 1965. It was pointed out that Keating had previously contributed to the May 21-22, 1965, teach-in at Berkeley, California, sponsored by the VDC.

The "People's World" (PW), issue of November 13, 1965, page 3, columns 1 - 4, contains an article captioned, "The Press and Problems of Society." This article identifies Edward Keating of "Ramparts" magazine as one of four speakers at a forum held by the Bay Area Friends of the PW on Friday, November 5, 1965, at the Sun-Reporter Building, San Francisco, California.

The PW is a west coast communist newspaper published at San Francisco, California.

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San Francisco, California

April 6, 1966

Title EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING

Character

**Reference San Francisco memorandum
dated and captioned as
above**

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

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ON 7-22-03

April 25, 1966

BY LIAISON

Honorable William J. Connell
Administrative Assistant
Office of the Vice President
Room 173
Executive Office Building
Washington, D. C.

*Original & letter
returned to Mr. Connell
2-10-68*

Dear Mr. Connell:

In response to your request, a name check
of the files of the FBI was made regarding Edward M. Keating,
Editor in Chief, "Ramparts" magazine, [redacted]
[redacted] or "Ramparts." Attached
are memoranda concerning these individuals.

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This letter of transmittal can be declassified
when it is detached from the enclosures bearing a classification.

Sincerely yours,

105-143876

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184 APR 27 1966

Enclosures (5)

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- 1 - Mr. DeLoach (sent direct) - Enclosures (3)
- 1 - Mr. Gale - Enclosures (3)
- 1 - Mr. Rosen - Enclosures (3)

NOTE: Per request of Mr. Connell.

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April 25, 1966

EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING

Mr. Keating, who has not been the subject of an investigation by the FBI, is the Editor in Chief of "Ramparts" magazine, which is published at Menlo Park, California. This magazine has been self-described as "the Catholic journal of independent opinion" but has no official ties with the Catholic Church.

Mr. Keating came to the attention of the FBI in October, 1964, in connection with statements he made in a special edition of "Ramparts" captioned "Mississippi Eyewitness" indicating he was willing to turn over to the Justice Department information he had obtained concerning the murder of three civil rights workers in Mississippi. Upon being contacted by Special Agents of the FBI, he advised that he had never been in Mississippi, that he had not personally obtained any evidence concerning this crime and that he knew absolutely nothing about any sources who might have been eyewitnesses as described in his article. Mr. Keating has been an outspoken critic of the FBI, frequently making baseless charges or allegations concerning the work of this Bureau.

In July, 1965, information was received from a reliable source that Mr. Keating was interested in traveling to Cuba for the purpose of gathering information on religious life in Cuba. It was also pointed out that he hoped to have an interview with Prime Minister Fidel Castro. We have received no subsequent information indicating that Mr. Keating did actually travel to Cuba.

NOTE: Per request of Mr. Connell of the Vice President's Office.

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Edward Michael Keating

Mr. Keating has frequently criticized U. S. intervention in the Dominican Republic and in Vietnam. In this regard, he was scheduled to speak at an educational protest forum at the University of California at Berkeley on May 21, 1965, concerning U.S. intervention in Vietnam. No subsequent information has been received indicating whether Mr. Keating did actually participate in this protest meeting.

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Civil fingerprints were located in the files of the FBI Identification Division which may be identical with those of captioned individual. These fingerprints were searched through the criminal files of the Identification Division and no arrest record was located.

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CC TO: [redacted]
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BY: [redacted]

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EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING

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Your attention is directed to the memorandum captioned "Edward Michael Keating," dated September 27, 1966, at San Francisco, California, a copy of which has been provided your office.

In addition to the above, in December, 1966, a confidential informant made available a "Call For Vigils to End the War in Vietnam" and a press release issued by A. J. Muste. This material shows the officially adopted name of instant organization as the Spring Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam.

Another confidential informant has advised that Edward Keating was one of four vice presidents of the Spring Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam to serve under the leadership of A. J. Muste.

The "New York Evening Journal," issue of April 28, 1942, contained an article captioned "Ex-Red Won't Register," which related that A. J. Muste had refused to register under the Selective Service Act. He was described as a former leader of the Trotskyite faction of the communist movement in this country.

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ep #12A; 187 ep #4; 203
ep #5; 204 ep #8
65-58275-114 #56
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Los Angeles, California 90001

Dear [REDACTED]

I have received your letter of April 5th and want to thank you for your congratulations on my receiving the 33rd Degree in Masonry. As you can imagine, this was a great honor and one which I will cherish always.

I also want to thank you for furnishing me the information you forwarded regarding Edward Keating and "Ramparts" magazine. You may be certain I appreciate your thoughtfulness.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Bufiles disclose [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] We have no record of any prior correspondence with him. Edward Keating is the Editor-Publisher of "Ramparts" and has been critical of United States policy in Vietnam. He is one of the leaders of a mass demonstration which is to be staged in San Francisco on 4/15/67. This demonstration is being sponsored by the Spring Mobilization to end the war in Vietnam, and the membership of this outfit includes Communist Party and Socialist Workers Party members. The kidnaping referred to in [REDACTED] letter of 4/5/67 involved [REDACTED]

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Los Angeles, California
April 5, 1967

Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. DeLoach	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Bishop	✓
Mr. Casper	✓
Mr. Callahan	✓
Mr. Conrad	✓
Mr. Felt	✓
Mr. Gale	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Sullivan	✓
Mr. Tavel	✓
Mr. Trotter	✓
Tele. Room	✓
Miss Holmes	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Washington, D. C. 20535

Dear Mr. Hoover,

I have just recently heard some interesting information
I desire to pass on to your Subversive detail.

[REDACTED] went to hear a speaker at Occidental
College, in the Highland Park section of Los Angeles.

She found this man to be EDWARD KEATING, the Publisher of
the RAMPART Magazine, who I am certain is known to you.

He spoke on April 3, 1967 in the evening, in one of the numerous
"Halls".

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He maligned Mr. Johnson, Mr. Dulles, Mr. Reagan, of course you
and many others.

She stated that he viciously attacked our government, its policies,
and practically advocated treason.

You might have had this character under surveillance on the nite
in question, but in case you did not, the thoughts may be of interes

[REDACTED]
Also, let me warmly congragulate you on the fact that you have
received the 33rd Degree in our great fraternity.

Respectfully,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
Los Angeles 42, California

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The White House
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For [redacted]

I thought you might like to have the following information:

According to a UPI dispatch of January 17, 1968, a campaign is under way to collect a million signatures to petitions urging the impeachment of President Johnson for "high crimes" in the Vietnam war. John Malcom Williams, a Minneapolis attorney, said the campaign is being conducted by an organization called "Citizens for Governmental Restraint, Inc." Williams said he is National Chairman of the group he formed along with Edward Keating of San Francisco and Corliss Lamont, of New York City. He said they had about one thousand signatures and expected a million signatures before the petition would be presented to Congress, probably about May 1st. EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING

Our files contain no information identifiable with John Malcom Williams or the "Citizens for Governmental Restraint, Inc."

The fingerprint files of the Identification Division of the FBI contain no arrest data identifiable with John Malcom Williams based upon available background information.

Attached are separate memoranda concerning Corliss Lamont and Edward Michael Keating.

A copy of this communication was not presented to the [redacted] General.

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Sincerely yours,

- Mr. DeLoach (sent direct)-Enclosures
- Mr. Gale (sent direct)-Enclosures
- Mr. Rosen (sent direct)-Enclosures

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January 22, 1968

EDWARD MICHAEL KEATING

Mr. Keating, who has not been the subject of an investigation by the FBI, is the former Editor-in-Chief of "Ramparts" magazine, which is published at Menlo Park, California. This magazine has been self-described as "the Catholic journal of independent opinion" but has no official ties with the Catholic Church.

In October, 1964, Keating made statements in a special edition of "Ramparts" captioned "Mississippi Eyewitness" indicating he was willing to turn over to the Justice Department information he had obtained concerning the murder of three civil rights workers in Mississippi. Upon being contacted by Special Agents of the FBI, he advised that he had never been in Mississippi, that he had not personally obtained any evidence concerning this crime and that he knew absolutely nothing about any sources who might have been eyewitnesses as described in his article. Mr. Keating has been an outspoken critic of the FBI, frequently making baseless charges or allegations concerning the work of this Bureau.

In July, 1965, information was received from a reliable source that Mr. Keating was interested in traveling to Cuba for the purpose of gathering information on religious life in Cuba. It was also pointed out that he hoped to have an interview with Prime Minister Fidel Castro. The FBI has received no subsequent information indicating that Mr. Keating did actually travel to Cuba.

Mr. Keating has frequently criticized U. S. intervention in the Dominican Republic and in Vietnam. He was one of the directors of West Coast activities in connection with the Spring Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam. He traveled through a number of states speaking against the war in Vietnam and urging support of the Mobilization in 1967.

NOTE: Per request of [redacted] White House Staff.

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Edward Michael Keating

He was also a leader of the National Conference of New Politics (NCNP) which held its convention in Chicago from August 31 through September 4, 1967. The NCNP was a loose association of a number of civil rights and liberal political organizations.

Civil fingerprints were located in the files of the FBI Identification Division which may be identical with those of captioned individual. These fingerprints were searched through the criminal files of the Identification Division and no arrest record was located.

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CORRELATION SUMMARY

Main File No: 105-143896

Date: 5/21/69

See also: 139-2094

Subject: Edward Michael Keating

Date Searched: 2/13/69

All logical variations of subject's name and aliases were searched and identical references were found as:

Edward Michael Keating ✓
E. Keating ✓
Ed Keating ✓
Edward Keating ✓

4 Edward K. Keating ✓
Edward M. Keating ✓
Edwin M. Keating ✓
Edward M. Keating ✓

This is a summary of information obtained from a review of all "see" references to the subject in Bureau files under the names and aliases listed above. All references under the above names containing data identical with the subject have been included except any indicated at the end of this summary under the heading REFERENCES NOT INCLUDED IN THIS SUMMARY. References indicated in the block as SI contain the same information as the foregoing serial although b7c e information may have been received from a different source.

THIS SUMMARY HAS BEEN PREPARED FOR USE AT THE SEAT OF GOVERNMENT AND IS NOT SUITABLE FOR DISSEMINATION. IT IS DESIGNED TO FURNISH A SYNOPSIS OF THE INFORMATION SET OUT IN EACH REFERENCE, AND IN MANY CASES THE ORIGINAL SERIAL WILL CONTAIN THE INFORMATION IN MORE DETAIL.

Analyst

Coordinator

Approved

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ABBREVIATIONS

Add. info.....Additional information appearing in this reference which pertains to Edward Michael Keating can be found in the main file or elsewhere in this summary. This information may have been received from a different source.

The following references in the file captioned "MIBURN" contain information relating to the activities of Edward Michael Keating in the period of 10/17/64 - 11/16/64 in relation to this case, which pertained to the three civil rights workers whose bodies were located on 8/4/64, near Philadelphia, Miss. As publisher and editor of "Ramparts" magazine in California, Keating published a special issue containing articles pertaining to this matter, which articles were written by civil rights leaders. In interviews in NYC and San Francisco, Keating denied any personal knowledge of the contents of the articles or of the crime, and he refused to identify sources. He participated in a panel radio program in NYC at which above matter was discussed.

REFERENCE

SEARCH SLIP PAGE NUMBER

44-25706-1298 p.1,2
-1320 encl.p.1,2
-1332 encl.p.1
-1351 p.1 encl.p.62
-1361 p.1,2
-1362 p.1
-1363 encl.p.1
-1368 encl.p.1-3
-1407 encl.p.3

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The following reference pertains to an investigative hearing of the HCUA. Information regarding the anti-Vietnam war activities of Edward Keating in Berkeley, Calif., in June, 1965, was set out in an exhibit presented during testimony.

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61-7582-5899 encl.p.1154

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Under suitable pretext, on 7/14/65, a Special Agent of the FBI contacted [redacted] the Catholic Peace Fellowship (62-110398), at 5 Beekman St., NYC. [redacted] furnished an open letter, dated 7/8/65, on the letterhead of the Catholic Peace Fellowship. A marginal list of sponsors included the name of Edward M. Keating. b7C b7D

Copy of letter enclosed
62-110398-2 encl.p.9
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[redacted] University of Michigan (U of M), Ann Arbor, Mich. (protect identity), furnished information that on 5/11/66, U of M faculty members received a mailing soliciting support for something referred to as the "National Viet Nam Examination." This form indicated it was being distributed by Students for a Democratic Society (SDS) (100-439048) and Inter-University Committee for Debate on Foreign Policy. The form indicated that it was prepared by several organizations, including the SDS, and a number of authorities on Vietnam. Edward Keating was listed as one of these authorities.

Copy of above form enclosed
100-439048-15-51 encl.p.8
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SI 100-442367-33 encl.p.4
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105-40461-406 p.3
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SI 105-40461-414 p.2
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On 7/25/66, Ed Keating attended a meeting sponsored by Californians for Liberal Representation (CLR) (100-442778), at 10345 West Pico Boulevard, Los Angeles, Calif. The purpose of the meeting was to make plans for the Statewide Conference on Power and Politics which the CLR had scheduled for September 30 - October 2, 1966, in Los Angeles. (LA 2954-S)

Keating was a member of the Continuation Committee of above conference, which was held as scheduled. (LA 3854-S)

[redacted] furnished a leaflet entitled "Statewide Conference on Power and Politics" which was distributed prior to this conference. A list of individual sponsors in this leaflet contained the name of Edward Keating.

100-442778-7 p.4,17,30

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100-442778-6 encl.p.9

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An article captioned "Students, Antiwar Fighters Back New York SWP Slate," date line New York, appeared in "The Militant" on 10/17/66. The article stated that a number of independent voters were sponsoring a newspaper advertisement which would state that while they do not necessarily agree with all the program of the Socialist Workers Party (100-16), they were urging a vote for its political slate in the election as a protest against the Vietnam war. Among those making such an endorsement was Edward Keating.

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100-16-35-A "The Militant" 10/17/66

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[redacted] the United Committee Against the War (UCAW) (100-446399) decided that at a press conference on 10/18/66, the UCAW would announce their intentions of challenging the Army Intelligence Officers of the Presidio of San Francisco to a debate on 10/21/66 on the pros and cons of the war. Edward Keating reportedly had agreed to be one of the speakers representing the UCAW at the debate.

100-446399-6 encl.p.2

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The Washington Capital News Service of 10/29/66 reported that Episcopal Bishop James A. Pike and "Ramparts" magazine publisher Edward M. Keating stated on this date it was their belief that the assassination of President John F. Kennedy (62-109060) involved a conspiracy in which Lee Harvey Oswald played only a part. Keating and Pike announced that, with Rabbi Abraham J. Heschel of the Jewish Theological Seminary of America in NYC, they were forming a national interfaith committee demanding the release of all evidence in the case.

62-109060-A Washington Capital News
Service 10/29/66

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SI 62-109060-A Washington Capital News
Service 10/30/66

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An article captioned, "Evidence Withheld in Kennedy Slaying, Bishop Pike Insists," by Ernest Schonberger, appeared in the "Los Angeles Times" on 11/1/66. According to the article, Episcopal Bishop James A. Pike stated that evidence of suppression in the investigation of the assassination of President John F. Kennedy had been brought to him by Edward M. Keating. The evidence had been prepared and given to Keating by a friend who formerly worked for the FBI but not for the Warren Commission (62-109090).

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62-109090-A "Los Angeles Times"
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[redacted] San Antonio, Texas, received a letter postmarked Chicago, Ill., 11/26/66, which enclosed the original of a document captioned "A Call for a National Student Strike for Peace." The document contained the list of initial sponsors for the conference to plan a National Student Strike for Peace (100-446761). One of the names on the list was Edward M. Keating, editor, "Ramparts" magazine.

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100-446761-2X encl.p.4

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The following references in the file captioned, "Inter-University Committee for Debate on Foreign Policy" (IUCDFP), contain information regarding the activities of Edward Keating in relation to the IUCDFP during the period of May, 1966 through November, 1966. The IUCDFP, headquarters in Ithaca, NY, sponsored a national conference in Cleveland, Ohio, which was attended by representatives from various civil rights and pacifist organizations, at which time the November 8 Mobilization Committee was set up. The latter group became the Spring Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam at a subsequent meeting in Cleveland. Keating attended and participated in above conferences and was an officer of the organizations. He gave a radio interview in Ithaca, NY, opposing the war, and was a peace candidate in the 11th Congressional district in California. Keating helped prepare an anti-Vietnam War pamphlet and a National Vietnam Examination, to be distributed by the IUCDFP and Students for a Democratic Society.

REFERENCE

SEARCH SLIP PAGE NUMBER

62-110039-310 p.133
-318 p.4,13
-346 p.1
-363 p.14,20,28-30

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This reference is a summary of the No. 162, January 15-31, 1967, issue of the publication "Politica" (64-47255), which was printed by the "Talleres Graficos de Mexico" at South 69-A, 402, Col. Banjidal, Mexico. An article appearing on page 48, captioned "The 'Muckrakers' Are Reborn," praised the work done by "Ramparts" and its editors, Edward Keating and Warren Hinckle. The article stated that "Ramparts" was not afraid to expose the capitalistic tendencies of the US Government.

64-47255-100 p.5
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The "Denver Post" reported on 2/19/67, that Edward K. Keating would be in Denver, Colo., 2/20-22/67, for speaking engagements to organize demonstrations against the war in Vietnam. Keating was described as West Coast chairman of the Spring Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam. The "Denver Post" on 2/22/67, reported on an interview with Keating in which it was indicated he was in Denver to help organize a local chapter of the Spring Mobilization Committee.

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A leaflet mailed in Denver on 2/8/67, advertised a meeting to be held on 2/22/67 at 622 East Ohio, under the auspices of the Spring Mobilization Committee, at which Keating would speak on the movement to end the Vietnam war. Keating spoke at above meeting.
(DN 352-S)

100-428488-16 p.9
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On 3/22/67, [redacted] a confidential source, Hartford, Conn. (protect identity), furnished a leaflet of the Committee for Nonviolent Action, Boston to Pentagon Walk for Peace (100-426761). This leaflet, captioned "Walk With Us," indicated that the march would participate in the Spring Mobilization in NYC, 4/15/67, sponsored by the Spring Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam, of which Edward Keating was a vice chairman.

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100-426761-1612 encl.p.4
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During an anti-Vietnam war demonstration on the campus of the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich. (100-151448), on 3/31/67, the participants passed out copies of a one page "handout," captioned "National Mobilization to End the War in Vietnam Now." A marginal list of national sponsors included the name of Edward Keating. [redacted] protect identity)

100-151448-39 encl.p.9
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On 3/21/67, Joel A. Spivak, master of ceremonies of a telephone call-in show on Radio Station KLAC, Los Angeles, announced on his show that Edward Keating, owner of "Ramparts Magazine," was scheduled to be a guest on the Spivak show on 4/1/67. (Bureau SA)

This information appeared in the file captioned "Cominfil Radio-TV Industry."

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The 4/3/67 issue of the "National Observer," a weekly national newspaper published in NYC, contained a feature article on "Ramparts" magazine, which announced that the magazine's publisher, Edward Keating, had recently accepted the George Polk Memorial Award for magazine reporting. According to the article, "Ramparts" had lost about two million dollars in the two and a half years of publication, and of this amount \$600,000 was Keatings.

The "National Observer" (100-357044) stated that "Ramparts" views included opposition to US policy in Vietnam and the need for change of US attitude toward the war and communism.

100-357044-759 p.20

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SI 62-110985-147 encl.p.4

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SI 100-438794-1854 p.1

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SI 100-447251-2 p.10,11

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The "National Review" magazine (not identified) of 4/19/67, page 393, stated, "Some of 'Ramparts' multiple links with Communists and Communist causes have already been written about; some are, in fact, quite open." The article continued that the publisher of "Ramparts" magazine, Edward M. Keating, was then directing the West Coast activities of the Vietnik Spring Mobilization, an operation launched by the "United-Communist front."

157-7822-2 encl.p.39

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The "Evening Outlook," Santa Monica, Calif., carried a series of articles dated 4/13, 17, and 19/67, captioned "New Politics," written by Jerry Carroll, "Evening Outlook" political writer, in which the author examined the New Politics, a radical, growing movement in the US. The articles identified Edward W. Keating as one of the leaders of this movement, a strong candidate in the San Mateo Democratic primary election, a key organizer of the peace march in San Francisco, and editor of "Ramparts Magazine," which was the growing influential voice of ultra-liberalism. The subtle influence of communists on the New Politics was pointed out.

100-3-104-26-320 encl.p.1,6,11

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The "People's World" of 7/15/67 carried an announcement that Edward M. Keating, author, lawyer, and former publisher of "Ramparts" magazine, announced that he would seek the 11th Congressional District seat in California vacated by the recent death of the incumbent. Keating made a strong run for the Democratic nomination in the district the previous year on a platform of opposition to the war in Vietnam — polling 47% of the vote, according to the announcement.

"People's World" 7/15/67 p.12
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105-88988-313 p.36
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The "Los Angeles Times" "West" magazine, dated 8/27/67, contained an article by Earl Shorris (not identified), which described "Ramparts" as belonging to the left. Edward M. Keating, who founded "Ramparts" in 1962, reportedly stated, in referring to that magazine, "Muckraking is too gentle a word to use. I prefer such things as hell-raising, blistering."

100-447600-22 encl.p.2
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SI 100-447600-30 p.8
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The following references in the file captioned "Spring Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam," later known as the National Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam, contain information pertaining to the activities of Edward Keating in relation to this committee. These activities covered the period of September, 1966 - October 21, 1967, in NYC; Minneapolis, Minn.; Ithaca, NY; Albuquerque, N.M.; Denver, Colo.; Seattle, Wash.; San Francisco, and Los Angeles, Calif.; and Washington, D.C. Keating was an officer of this organization, attended and helped plan

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demonstrations and conferences, helped organize local chapters, and made frequent speeches which were critical of the US policy in Vietnam. At the time of an anti-war rally in Washington, D.C., Keating was a member of a delegation that attempted to see President Johnson at the White House.

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SEARCH SLIP PAGE NUMBER

62-111131-10 encl.p.4,6	(19)
-131 encl.p.2	(2)
-173 encl.p.12A	(19)
-179 encl.p.1-3,6	(2)
-183 encl.p.2,4	(2)
-187 encl.p.4	(19)
-203 encl.p.5	(19)
-204 encl.p.8	(20)
-209 encl.p.2,3	(2)
-209X1 encl.p.1,2,6	(2,20)
-218 encl.p.3	(17)
-222X1 encl.p.2-4,6,11	(13,17,20)
-223 p.1,7,19,31	(2,17,20)
-238 p.1	(3)
-242 encl.p.2	(3)
-248 encl.p.1-4,9-12	(3,24)
-258 encl.p.3	(3)
-261 encl.p.2,3,6	(3,17)
-277 encl.p.7,27	(17,20)
-281 encl.p.5	(3)
-289 encl.p.3,4,32	(3,17)
-385 p.3	(3)
-405 encl.p.12	(3)
-418 encl.p.2	(3)
-593 encl.p.1	(20)
-700 p.2	(4)
-729 encl.p.3,6	(13,20)
-756 p.1, encl. (Photograph)	(17)
-761 encl.p.4	(4)
-797 encl.p.17,22	(4)
-801 encl.p.3,4,11,13,23	(17,20,23)
-823 encl.p.2	(4)
-835 encl.p.1,2	(20)
-979 p.5,8,13	(4)
-1035 encl.p.2,64	(4)
-2201 p.3	(4)
- A "The Evening Star" (Washington) 10/20/67	(4)

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The following references in the file captioned "Ramparts" contain information pertaining to the activities and relationship of Edward Keating with this magazine, with headquarters in San Francisco, during the period of May, 1962 - November, 1967. Keating was the founder of "Ramparts," and he was the president and publisher until April, 1967, when he was ousted because of differences over financial policies. Keating countered by filing suit against "Ramparts" for a large sum of money which he claimed he had loaned the firm. Details of Keating's financial involvement with "Ramparts" and a subsidiary corporation, Western Media Corporation, set out. "Ramparts" and Keating were critical of the US Government Vietnam policy and of the FBI.

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SEARCH SLIP PAGE NUMBER

100-445393-9 encl.p.1	(13, 17)
-14 p.1	(13)
-27 encl.p.6	(13)
-41 p.1 (critical of the FBI)	(17)
-53 p.1-8, 10, 11, 15-20, 29-34, 53, 69	(7, 21, 24)
-60 p.B1, B2, B3, B5, B9-11, B13, B16, B18, B20	(14)
-88 encl.p.4, 5	(14)
-97 p.2, 5, 6	(7)
-109 p.2, 6, 7, 9, 21, 53, 59, 65, 66, 68-71	(7, 14, 21, 27)
-A "Washington Daily News" 2/17/67	(24)
-A "Evening Star" (Washington D.C.) 5/9/67	(7)

On 12/22/67, [redacted] Cleveland, Ohio, Police Department, made available a small suitcase, the contents of which indicated it belonged to [redacted] 157-4946), and which had been left in a taxicab. Included was an address book in which there appeared the name and address of Edward M. Keating, 1182 Chestnut St., Menlo Park, Calif., DA 5-5630; Ramparts.

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The following references in the file captioned "Citizens for Governmental Restraint, Incorporated," contain information that according to a United Press International release dated 1/17/68, John Malcolm Williams, Minneapolis Attorney, Corliss Lamont of NYC, and Edward Keating formed this organization. The purpose of the group was to conduct a campaign to collect a million signatures on a petition urging impeachment of President Lyndon B. Johnson for "high crimes" in the Vietnam war. Background information regarding Keating and his activities as editor of "Ramparts" magazine set out.

REFERENCE

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62-112007-2 encl.p.1
-3 encl.p.1,2
-6 encl.p.1,4
-19 p.6
-A Washington Capital News Service
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The following references contain information that Edward Keating attended and made speeches at meetings and affairs held in cities on dates as indicated. His speeches were anti-Vietnam war in nature and in support of the Spring Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam.

DATE	LOCALITY	REFERENCE	SEARCH SLIP PAGE NUMBER
10/21-22/66	Alma, Calif.	61-3615-638 p.1,4,7,8	(1,12,16)
10/28/66	Palo Alto, Calif.	100-439048-47-41 p.3 -43 p.33	(6) (8)
11/3/66	Madison, <u>Wisc.</u>	100-443080-111 p.24	(7)
11/7/66	Minneapolis, Minn.	100-444368-29 p.17,18	(7)
11/15/66	San Diego, Calif.	100-446236-8 p.14	(7)
		109-12-330-319 encl.p.8	(10)
12/27-30/66	Berkeley, Calif.	100-439048-15-97 encl.p.8	(21)

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Early, 1967	Spokane, Wash.	14-2941-94 p.353,354	(19)
1/8/67 (scheduled)	Los Angeles, Calif.	100-439048-26-66 p.20,27	(6)
2/21/67 (scheduled)	Denver, Colo.	100-445393-A "Denver Post" 2/20/67	(14)
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		100-3-37-620 p.4	(5)
		105-102400-12 p.5	(24)
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3/1/68	Seattle, Wash.	100-447793-8 p.19	(8)

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The following references in the file captioned "VIDEM" (Demonstrations Protesting US Intervention in Vietnam) contain information regarding the activities of Edward M. Keating in relation to this movement during the period of 5/21/65 - 3/1/68. Keating, former publisher and editor of "Ramparts" magazine, allegedly directed the West Coast activities of the Spring Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam (SMC), of which he was vice chairman. He signed a newspaper "Stop the War" advertisement and also a letter issued by the SMC urging support of its program. Keating was a frequent speaker at affairs sponsored by protest groups, at which time he condemned the US position in Vietnam, called for an end to the draft, and urged impeachment of President Johnson for leading the country to a dictatorship. Keating participated in activities in Minneapolis, Minn., Milwaukee, Wisc., Washington, D.C., and Los Angeles, Fullerton, Red Wood City, Berkeley, San Diego, and San Francisco, Calif.

REFERENCE

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This reference is a Bureau memo dated 12/4/68, pertaining to Leroy Eldridge Cleaver (100-447251) and the Unlawful Flight Statute. It was noted that Cleaver was presently under a \$50,000 bond in connection with an assault charge in April, 1968, and that the bond money was reportedly provided by Edward Keating and Godfrey Cambridge, a Negro comedian.

100-447251-155 p.1

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On 1/13/69, the San Francisco Office reported that Edward Keating, Atherton, Calif., and [redacted] Atherton, were interviewed but produced no information regarding the whereabouts of Leroy Eldridge Cleaver (100-447251), fugitive. It was noted that both of these individuals were co-signers on Cleaver's \$50,000 bond, which was forfeited. Keating was antagonistic and uncooperative during the interview and would not state that he would furnish the information if he knew Cleaver's whereabouts.

100-447251-295 p.1

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REFERENCES NOT INCLUDED IN THIS SUMMARY

The following references on Edward Keating and Edward M. Keating located in files maintained in the Special File Room of the Files and Communications Division, Records Branch, were not reviewed, and it is not known whether or not they are identical with the subject of this summary.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : *Rum* DIRECTOR, FBI (100-46855) ⁶²⁻

DATE: 7/26/71

FROM : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (100-60898) (C)

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BOOK REVIEWS

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DATE 7-22-03 BY 60207/NLS/KP/RO

Re Bureau letter to San Francisco, dated 7/8/71.

In compliance with request in referenced letter, a copy of the following described book is enclosed:

"Free Huey! The True Story of the Trial of Huey P. Newton for Murder" by EDWARD M. KEATING, Ramparts Press, Berkeley, California, 1971, \$6.95.

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BOOK REVIEW
"FREE HUEY" BY
EDWARD M. KEATING

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This is a review of captioned book, published in 1971 by Ramparts Press, Incorporated, Berkeley, California. The book is being placed in the Bureau Library.

SYNOPSIS:

"Free Huey" from the author's viewpoint offers a chronology of events surrounding the trial of Huey P. Newton in connection with the death of Oakland, California, Police Officer John Frey on 10/28/67. The book actually presents an inaccurate image of Newton and gives a distorted account of his encounters with police authorities. This book tries to impart Newton has been the innocent victim of injustice.

Author mentions on Page 67, "Fruitless efforts were made to get the FBI and the Justice Department to investigate the killing of Hutton." This refers to Bobby James Hutton, a Black Panther Party (BPP) member, who was killed in gun battle with Oakland, California, police on 4/6/68. This is an unfounded attack since FBI conducted a preliminary inquiry at specific request of Department of Justice relative to alleged civil rights violations arising from gun battle which resulted in Hutton's death.

ACTION:

For information.

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Memorandum to Mr. E. S. Miller

Re: Book Review

"Free Huey" by

Edward M. Keating

DETAILS:

REVIEW OF BUREAU FILES

Bureau files indicate Edward Michael Keating is a former editor of "Ramparts" magazine, which is published in California. "Ramparts" has been critical of the U. S. Government Vietnam policy and of the FBI. Keating has frequently criticized U. S. intervention in the Dominican Republic and Vietnam. He has also been an outspoken critic of the FBI, frequently making baseless charges or allegations concerning the work of the Bureau.

BOOK REVIEW

This book claims to offer a chronology of events surrounding the 1968 trial of BPP leader Huey P. Newton; however, it actually presents an inaccurate image of Newton, a cofounder of the revolutionary BPP. Distorted accounts are furnished of Newton's encounters and arrests by police authorities. The author, an attorney who helped defend Newton, admits that his fairness may be legitimately questioned. Newton is pictured as being honorable, religious, devoted to the welfare of his people, and one who has been continually harassed by police, although it was acknowledged Newton's past record would show his violence and practice of lying. Newton was indicted for murder, assault with a deadly weapon, and the kidnaping of a civilian in making his escape from the scene of the killing of Oakland, California, Police Officer John Frey during the early morning of 10/28/67. On 7/15/68 Newton's trial commenced and he was subsequently found guilty of voluntary manslaughter. The author claims Newton was prosecuted for political reasons and that it was fortunate the California Court of Appeals later reversed this conviction and that to the world his response is, "Free Huey." A subsequent trial of Newton resulted in a hung jury and the local district attorney has indicated he does not intend to ask for another trial of Newton.

Memorandum to Mr. E. S. Miller

Re: Book Review

"Free Huey" by

Edward M. Keating

MENTION OF THE FBI

On Page 67 it was reported, "Fruitless efforts were made to get the FBI and the Justice Department to investigate the killing of Hutton." This refers to Bobby James Hutton, a BPP member, who was killed by Oakland, California, police officers during a 90-minute gun battle 4/6/68 in which black extremist Eldridge Cleaver and several other BPP members were involved. Information presented to the Alameda County, California, Grand Jury indicated that an armed group of BPP members went looking for "some shooting" with police during the evening of 4/6/68 in West Oakland, California. This information presented to the Grand Jury resulted in eight BPP members being indicted and police authorities were exonerated in the killing of Bobby James Hutton. The BPP had charged that Hutton was shot down as he fled from a house clad only in shorts. The evidence showed he was fully clothed.

The FBI conducted a preliminary investigation during 1968 at the specific request of the Department of Justice relative to alleged civil rights violations arising from a shoot-out between BPP members and Oakland police on 4/6/68 which resulted in the death of Hutton. BPP members alleged harassment and mistreatment by Oakland police in that officers illegally and unlawfully killed Hutton. Neighborhood witnesses said Hutton was called on several times by police to surrender. Police stated Hutton refused to raise hands as ordered and was shot as he attempted to flee. Results of this investigation were appropriately disseminated to the Civil Rights Division of the Department. This allegation by Keating is false and is another example of his unfounded attacks upon the FBI.

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